

Clearances:
L/PM – Schildge ok PM/DTCL – Maloney
NSC – Nillson ok H – Cooper
PM/CPA - Greer ok PM/DTC–RSKovac
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Dear Madam Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed technical assistance agreement to include the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles regarding major defense equipment in the amount of \$14,000,000 or more.

The transaction contained in the attached certification involves the sale of four C-130J aircraft, associated support equipment, initial logistics support and initial maintenance and operational training to the Government of Qatar.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Richard R. Verma
Assistant Secretary
Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 004-09

The Honorable
Nancy Pelosi,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
TRANSMITTAL NO. DDTC 004-09
CERTIFICATION OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN EXPORT
LICENSE PURSUANT TO SECTION 36(c)
OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT

(1) Foreign Country or International Organization to Which Export Will Be Made:
Greece, Qatar

(2) Dollar Value of the Proposed Export:

(a) Current Notification Value: \$394,802,281

(b) Total Value: \$394,802,281

(3) Description of the Transaction:

(a) The Lockheed Martin Corporation acting through its wholly owned subsidiary Lockheed Martin Aeronautics Company proposes to amend an existing agreement to expand the scope of said agreement to allow for the sale of four C-130J aircraft to the Government of Qatar. This proposed amendment includes initial logistics support in the form of spare parts for the airframe, engines, avionics and ground support equipment. It also includes initial maintenance and operational training. This agreement would expire on August 31, 2018.

(b) Total Scope: The initial scope of the agreement was to market the aircraft and be able to respond to a request for proposals and did not cover the sale of the aircraft. This agreement has not been previously notified as it had not exceeded the Congressional Notification valuation threshold.

(c) A discussion on regional security balance will be forwarded under a separate cover.

(4) Offset Arrangement: None.

(5) Authorized Sales Territory: Qatar

(6) Date Certification Delivered to Congress:

NOTE: This report, although unclassified, is derived from information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant which is subject to the confidentiality requirements of section 38(e) of the Arms Export Control Act. Disclosure of an applicant's prices and customers could result in competitive injury.

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The Honorable
John F. Kerry, Chairman,
Committee on Foreign Relations,
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Dear Senator Lugar:

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The Honorable
Richard G. Lugar,
Committee on Foreign Relations,
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Dear Ms. Ros-Lehtinen:

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Ileana Ros-Lehtinen,
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Howard L. Berman, Chairman,
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The Honorable

Joseph R. Biden, Jr.,

President of the Senate.